

**NEBRASKA DDD/MLTC WAIVER WORKGROUP: APPLICATION AND ELIGIBILITY  
MARCH 30, 2016**

**Participants:** Michelle Waller, Diane S. Wagner, Dana Maaske, Brandy Stolle, Sherry Jameson, Amy Slama, Amy Peterson, Kristen Larsen, Brandy Fenimore, Brigid Griffin, Mike Munn, Laurie ChisholmLock, Janice Pulkowski, Sara Beans; Robert Mathena, Darla Ramsey, Jana Deines, Tricia Stone, Dana Maaske, Jennifer Diodene-Vrbas, Lynne Walz, Debbie Kosmicki, Karen Masterson, Kim Anderson for Mikki Schoone, Pam Hovis, Lori Albrecht-MacPherson, Amy Nutter, Deb Peterson.

**Notes Recorder:** Amy Peterson, Dana Maaske

**Next Meeting (date/time):** April 13, 2016 (1 p.m. to 3 p.m.)

**Today's Agenda:**

1. Welcome! Introductions.
2. Sign in Sheet reminder
3. Set up small groups and leads to work on "Information Tip Sheets" for:
  - a. Important Information to know about applying for DD Services
  - b. Information about ASD
  - c. Information about DD services
4. Transition Plan Update
5. Parking Lot Issues
6. Final Meeting Date

Topic	Person Responsible	Discussion	Action Item
Parking lot question: If receiving DD Waiver and Social Security Disability is denied by Social Security, can the State Review Team deem them disabled?	Pam Hovis	Referral to State Review Team when SSI denied due to reasons of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Over income/resources</li><li>• Person is a non-US citizen and SSI will not review</li></ul> No referral to State Review Team when SSI denied due to Lack of severity/not disabled. Referral to apply for Economic Assistance.	No action needed.

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Information about DD services	Sara Beans	Sara shared previously developed information about DD Service Coordination, DD Community Based Services, and Transition Checklist for Families (ESU #7)	Distribute to workgroup members. Target Date: 4/5/2016.
Additional small workgroup to develop information for public	All	Recommendation of fourth small workgroup to gather/develop tip sheet on about eligibility criteria for initial eligibility for DD services/placement on the Registry of Unmet Needs and information about eligibility criteria for waiver services when funding is allocated.	Fourth group formed and members present chose preferred workgroup.
Additional time for small workgroup meetings	All	Recommendation to allow 4 weeks for meetings and preparation of draft materials.	Small workgroup will present draft to large workgroup meeting on 4/27/2016.
A. Small workgroup – Information to know about applying for DD services	<u>Amy Peterson</u> , Kim Anderson or Mikki Schoone, <u>Jana Deines</u> , Jennifer Diodene-Vrbas, Kristen Larsen, Pam Hovis	Amy P. and Jana will co-lead small workgroup. This meeting room and time will be available on 4/13/16 for in-person meeting. Group may decide to meet additional times.	Small workgroup will present draft to large workgroup meeting on 4/27/2016.
B. Small workgroup – Information about specific disabilities	<u>Dana Maaske</u> , Tricia Stone, Darla Ramsey, Michelle Waller, Pam Hovis	Dana will lead small workgroup. This meeting room and time will be available on 4/13/16 for in-person meeting. Group may decide to meet additional times.	Small workgroup will present draft to large workgroup meeting on 4/27/2016.

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C. Small workgroup - Information about DD services.	Brandy Fenimore, <u>Sara Beans</u> , Laurie ChisholmLock, Diane Wagner, <u>Amy Nutter</u> , Pam Hovis	Amy N. and Sara will co-lead small workgroup. This meeting room and time will be available on 4/13/16 for in-person meeting. Group may decide to meet additional times.	Small workgroup will present draft to large workgroup meeting on 4/27/2016.
D. Small workgroup – Information about initial eligibility criteria and eligibility criteria for DD waiver.	Lori Albrecht-MacPherson, Debbie Kosmicki, Rob Mathena, Mike Munn, Janice Pulkowski, Amy Slama, Brigid Griffin, Deb Peterson, Karen Masterson, <u>Ladonna Shippen</u> , Pam Hovis	Ladonna will lead small workgroup. This meeting room and time will be available on 4/13/16 for in-person meeting. Group may decide to meet additional times.	Small workgroup will present draft to large workgroup meeting on 4/27/2016.
Draft State Transition Plan	Pam	Posted on the public website with contact information for comments and questions. Discussion of State Transition Plan at monthly stakeholder meetings. Next monthly meeting is April 26, 2016.	No action needed.